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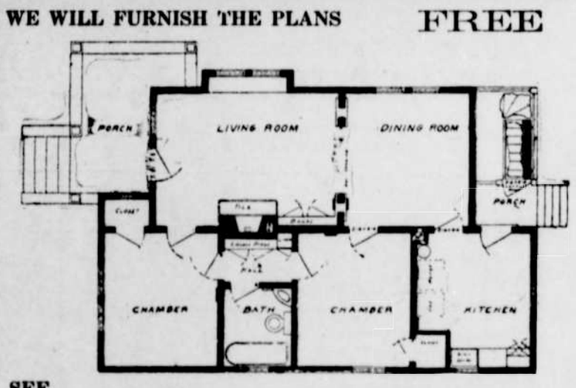

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All the world wants peace, but not the peace at the crater of a quiescent volcano.

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The probe of the high cost of living is an operation in which few persons hope that the patient will survive.

Without having formed any alliances worth mentioning Villa manages to got into a variety of entanglements.

However if Poland is to be so independent, it appears that the Teutons might bestow the Polish crown on a Pole.

It seems odd that none of that $608,000,000 of gold from Canada has found its way into our pockets, but it is true nevertheless.

Even the man with a package of munition stocks wants peace, but would like to be notified in advance so he can unload.

If it be decided that war must continue, any statement by Roumania may have to be radically censored by the other allies before publication.

David Lloyd George, having just unlimbered his sling and gathered a few small stones, is in no mood to parley with any Goliath.

When it comes to stemming the tide the king of Roumania is now in a position to appreciate exactly how the late Canute felt about it.

Mexican currency is said to have advanced a shade in value, but at that, owing to the high cost of white paper, counterfeiters would probably lose money.

The final government crop figures show that our yield of wheat this year actually is 32,000,000 bushels larger than earlier estimates. One explanation is said to be that the farmers of the West, in giving the statement of yields to the government officials, made them as low as possible to help along the feeling that the shortage would be acute. Either that or the experts are poor guessers.

COUNTY CLFRK'S SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT.

From June 30, 1916 to Dec. 31, 1916.

General and state fund	$25,437 36
General road fund	2,580.21
General school fund	2,362.21
Indemnity fund	147.15
Estates of deceased persons	630.80
City taxes	403 53
Iirrigation and drainage funds	376.50
Road districts	1,302.26
School districts	16,666.74
County fair fund	18.79
Permanent road fund	2,098.35
High school rund	1,577.98
Library fund	14.13
Total	$54,616.01

General Fund Warrant Account.

Warrants unredeemed June 30, 1916	$20,625,40
Warrants issued last 6 months	35,918.80
	$56,544.20
Warrants redeemed last 6 mo	$44,419.47
Bal unredeemed Dec 31, 1916	12,124.73
	$56,544.20
Gen. fund warrants unpaid	$12,124.73
Estimated interest	200.00
	$12,324,73
Cash in gen. fund Dec. 31, 1916	$24,285.35
Warrants unpaid and Int	12,324.73
Resources Jan. 1, 1917	$11,960.62

Statement of Receipts for Six Months Ending Dec. 31, 1916.

Sheriff, Assessor, Treasurer and other receipts	$145,872.21
Clerks fees	3,151.15
Total receipts	$149,023.36

Disbursements for Six Months Dec. 31, 1916.

Registration and election	$ 2,726.08
Sheriff's office (traveling expenses and board of prisoners	3,859.42
Clerk's office	3,002 90
Treasurer's office	542.26
Assessor's office	2,977.55
Circuit court	3,581.70
County court	2,989.22
Justice court	252.55
Court house	18.45
Coroner's court	90 60
Insane	2.40
School Superintendent	1,182.42
Health officer	170.50
Fruit inspector	384.00
Stock inspector	382.65
Widow's pension	932.50
Care of poor	4,010.30
Jail	13.83
Juvenile court	28.65
Tax rebate	27.60
Scalp bounty	1,564.00
Sealer weights and measures	96.08
Assessment and Col. of taxes	333.95
Current expenses	1,343.26
Official advertising	263.35
Water master	821.60
Institute and examinations	288.89
County fair	1,100.00
Truant officer	84.10
Vital statistics	19 75
Agricultural advisor	375.00
Miscellaneous	2,460.24
	$35,918.80
Roads and highways	38,386.88
Grand total	$74,305.68

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN FORECLOSURE.

By virtue of an execution in foreclosure issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Malheur County, dated January 10, 1917, in a certain action in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Malheur County, wherein L. Belle Lees, as plaintiff, recovered judgment against Naomi Wright and George a Wright, husband and wife; George W. Routh and Jane Doe Routh, husband and wife; C. W. Aldridge and Jane Doe Aldridge, husband and wife; Amos Johnson and Jane Doe Johnson, husband and wife; Ontario National Bank, a corporation; E. A. Fraser and Ida Fraser, husband and wife: J. Stone and O. U. Franklin, and the Oontario Land and Townsite Company, a corporation, as defendants, for the sum of Twelve Hundred ($1200.00) Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of October, 1915, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum; for the further sum of One Hundred Twenty ($120.00) attorney's fee and for the further sum of $26.00 disbursements;

THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will on the 18th day of February, 1917, at the hour of 11:30 in the forenoon of said day, at the main entrance of the Malheur County Court House in Vale, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder or bidders, for cash, the following described property, towit:

All lands in Lot One, Sec. 34, Twp., 17 S., R. 47 E. W. M.; also the following tract towit; Commencing at the section corners common to sections 33 and 34 in Twp. 17 S., R. 47 E. W. M., and Sections 3 and 4 in Twp 18 S., R. 47 E. W. M., and running thence south on section line 20 chains; thence east on south line of Lot One in Sec. 3, Twp 18 S., R. 47 E. W. M. 8 chains; thence north 22.32 chains to the bank of Snake river; thence northerly 70 degrees and 15 minutes west, 8.50 chains to section line; thence south on section line 5.18 chains to place of beginning and all having a variation of 19 degrees and 30 minutes. From this last described tract there has been and is EXEMPTED from said lien by satisfaction thereof, the following three tracts, towit. FIRST TRACT: Commencing at a point 8 chains east of the southwest corner of Lot One in said Sec. 3, Twp. 18 S., R. 47 E. W. M., and running thence north 955 feet; thence west 136 feet and 8 inches; thence south 955 feet; thence east 136 feet and 8 inches to the place of beginning, containing 3 acres more or less. TRACT TWO: Commencing at a point 417 feet east of the southwest corner of Lot One in said Sec. 3, Twp. 18 S., R 47 E. W. M., and running thence north 222.25 feet; thence west 98 feet; thence south 222.25 feet; thence east 98 feet to the place of beginning, containing one-half acre;

TRACT THREE: Commencing at a point 334.78 feet south of the northwest corner of Lot One in said Sec. 3, Twp. 18 S, R. 47 E. W. M, and running thence east 392 feet; thence south 137.'1 feet, thence west 392 feet; thence north 137.21 feet to the place of beginning, containing one and one-fourth (1¼) acres more or less.

Also all lands in Lots One and Two lying and being between the meander line of said lots and the middle channel of Snake river EXCLUDING what is known as "Welch Island," in said Sec. 3, Twp. 18 S R. 47 E. W. M., and all lands and property herein described being in Malheur, Oregon, and to include all water rights and appurtenances belonging thereto or used in connection therewith.

Taken and levied upon as the property of the said above named Naoma Wright and George Wright, husband and wife; George W. Routh and Jane Doe Routh, husband and wife: C. W. Aldridge and Jane Doe Aldridge, husband and wife; Amos Johnson and Jane Doe Johnson, husband and wife; Ontario National bank, a corporation; E. A. Fraser and Ida Fraser, husband and wife; J. Stone and O. U. Franklin, and the Ontario Land and Townsite Co., a corporation, as defendants or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment in favor of L. Belle Lees and against the said defendants, with interest thereon, together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue.

Dated at Vale, Oregon, this 11th day of January, 1917.

BEN. J. BROWN, Sheriff.
By Jno. Wheeler, Deputy.

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NOTICE.

Whereas, at the regular election held on the 7th day of Nov. 1916, there was submitted to the voters of the Owyhee Precinct the question "Shall stock be permitted to run at large" at which election there were cast 32 votes for stock running at large and 89 votes against stock running at large, and there was a majority of 57 votes against stock running at large in said district, now therefore

Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of sixty days from December 22, 1916, the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: on and after February 22, 1917, it shall be unlawful for stock to run at large in that portion of Owyhee Precinct in Malheur County, Oregon, the boundaries of which are described as follows, towit:

Beginning at a point where the section line between Sections Eighteen and Nineteen (18 and 19) in Township Twenty (20) South, Range Forty-Seven (47) East Willamette Meridian, intersects Snake River; thence West to the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter (¼) of Section Twenty three (23), Township Twenty (20) South, Range Forty-six (46), East Willamette Meridian; thence South to the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter (¼) of Section Twenty-six (26) in said Township Twenty (20) South, Range Forty-six (46) East Willamette Meridian; thence west to the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter (¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in said Township Twenty (20) South, Range Forty-six (46), East Willamette Meridian; thence South to the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter (¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) in said Township Twenty (20) South, Range Forty-six (46), East Willamette Meridian; thence West to the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter (¼) of Section Thirty-one (31) in said Township Twenty (20) South, Range Forty-six (46), East Willamette Meridian; thence South to township line between Townships Twenty and Twenty-one (20 and 21) South, Range Forty-six (46), East Willamette Meridian; thence East along said Township line to the Northwest corner of Section Three (3) in Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Forty-six (46), East Willamette Meridian; thence South to the Southwest corner of Section Ten (10) in said Township Twenty-one (21) South, Range Forty-six (46) East Willamette Meridian; thence East to Snake River; thence Northeasterly following the meanders of the Snake River to the place of beginning.

Under penalty of ten dollars for the first offense, and twenty dollars for each and every subsequent offense, to be recovered from the owner of such stock in a civil action in the name of the State of Oregon, as provided by Section 5575 of Lord's Oregon Laws as amended by Chapter 156 of the general laws of Oregon for 1911.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court of Malheur county, Oregon, this 19th day of December, 1916.

[SEAL] W. H. DOOLITTLE,
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